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Athens, Texas

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To Our Friends and Customers

We are mighty glad to have you visit the Nursery and see the trees and plants as they grow. Many of you cannot do this so we are putting in a few pictures taken in the fields. These give you an idea of how we grow the stock. Our business is growing rapidly because there is an ever increasing demand by intelligent people, for stock properly grown and packed. Every plant, tree, and shrub in the nursery is grown, dug, and packed under my direct supervision. Our long experience and careful attention to every detail and direct method of dealing, together with a price as low as good stock can be sold, is responsible for our ever increasing business. We can now serve you better than ever and thank you in advance for your valued patronage.

E. M. Henderson.

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INTRODUCTION

We present this descriptive list to our customers with the assurance to all, of our appreciation of past business relations, and sincerely trust future dealings may be as satisfactory. To parties who have never dealt with us we would be glad to have a share of your business. Personal inspection is cordially invited.

By carefully studying the following descriptions of our stock you will be able to make a better selection than you possibly could from the finest pictures to be had.

Write us freely about your wants. We can supply many things not in this price list.

This price list is our only salesman; we employ no agents.

Send your orders in early before selections are broken. "First come, first served," is our motto. Do not fail to give your post-office address and express office address if different from postoffice. Write your name plainly.

We want our customers to have their choice of varieties, but they will often be more successful if selection of varieties is in part, at least, left to us. By doing this you get the benefit of our large test orchards and extensive experience in growing and handling fruit trees, pecan trees, shade trees, roses, shrubs, etc. We guarantee to deliver stock in good condition and true to name. With such delivery our responsibility ceases. We cannot prevent drouths, severe winters, rabbits, and insects, so we do not replace plants after they have been planted.

FREE

On each order amounting to \$5.00 or more we pay express to your nearest express office if you are within 300 miles of us.

If your order amounts to \$10.00 or more, you may select \$1.00 worth of trees or plants extra. If your order amounts to \$20.00 or more, you may select \$3.00 worth of trees or plants extra. That is, if you send \$10.00 select \$11.00 worth of stock. If you send \$20.00 select \$23.00 worth of stock. If you get trees at the nursery you save express charges and get a further reduction.

If you happen to live 400 or 600 miles from us, just add one cent per tree to the

price and the express charges will be paid by us.

We are not among those nurserymen who advertise novelties, trademarks, and special sorts as a means of securing extra prices for trees. We do not make exorbitant claims about our stock. We only claim that we grow as good stock as we know how and that we grow those varieties that have been tested and tried and known to be valuable for planting in Texas.

If we can in any way assist you in improving your home and providing fruit for your family, shrubs and flowers to beautify your home, we will certainly appreciate the opportunity of helping you.

We have found that a well-pleased customer is the best advertisement we can have. Many of our customers resulted from a friend who was well pleased, passing his catalog on. We would appreciate it if you will send us the name of a neighbor who is interested, or better still, hand him your catalog when through with it.

Our plants are good, healthy, first-class stock, and each shipment is accompanied by the State Nursery Inspector's Certificate. We refer you to the First National Bank of Athens, Texas as to our reliability and trust-worthiness.

APPLES

Price, 2 to 3 feet, 25 cents each; 3 to 4 feet, 35 cents each; 4 to 5 feet, 45 cents each; 5 to 6 feet, 60 cents each.

RED JUNE — Medium size, bright red; flesh white, tender and juicy; an abundant bearer; about the best June apple.

STRIPED JUNE — A very fine June apple of best quality; very strong grower.

YELLOW TRANSPARENT — The very best yellow June apple.

LIMBERTWIG — Large yellow, shaded with red; flesh white, tender, juicy. Fine quality. August.

JONATHAN — Healthy grower; prolific; medium red; good market; one of the best fall and early winter apples.

MAMMOTH TWIG — Similar to and larger than Wine Sap; vigorous and productive.

Corsicana, Texas, Dec. 16, 1927.
Mr. E. M. Henderson, Athens, Texas.
Dear Sir:

The shrubs and roses we ordered from you came this afternoon and we liked them even better than we did growing in the nursery. The dwarf hedge plants were so well rooted and were good plants.

I enclose check for \$56.45 for the plants.

MRS. ALLEN EDENS.

Yoakum, Texas, Dec. 17, 1927.
Henderson's Nursery, Athens, Texas.
Dear Sir:

Find enclosed check for \$35.48 to cover order just received. Trees in fine shape and on time. Will send another order after Christmas.

J. A. EASON.

TEXAS RED—One of the most highly esteemed apples in East Texas; large, striped, fine. Good keeper. Winter.

DELICIOUS—A very fine winter apple of the very best quality.

PEACHES

Price, 1 to 2 feet, 15 cents each; 2 to 3 feet, 20 cents each; 3 to 4 feet, 30 cents each; 4 to 5 feet, 40 cents each.

MAY FLOWER—One of the best very early peaches. Red all over, medium size and excellent quality. Ripens with the very earliest.

RED BIRD (Early Wheeler)—A large firm, white cling with red cheek; the best early market peach. Ripe June 1.

JAPAN DWARF BLOOD—An early peach of special value for South Texas.

PALLAS—A South Texas variety, ripening later than the above.

ARP BEAUTY—One of the best for market; very handsome; yellow freestone; thrifty grower; hardy and prolific. June 5.

MAMIE ROSS—Very large; blush; white flesh; very productive, and one of the best for family use or market. June 12.

CARMAN—A big, white, semi-cling, much like Mamie Ross. Better Color. A few days later.

HILEY BELLE—Fine early market peach, creamy white, with red cheek. Freestone. Ripe three weeks before Elberta.

GOVERNOR HOGG—Very large; white with red cheek. Flesh tender, juicy, highly flavored. Clingstone. Ripens just before Elberta. Like Chinese Cling.

SLAPPY—A peach that resembles Elberta very much; ripens ten days earlier and is superior to Mt. Rose, St. John, Guinn, Crawford's Early, etc., that ripen at the same time.

ROBT. E. LEE—One of the best Chinese Cling type; resembles that sort, but much better bearer. Ripens July 10.

ELBERTA—Large, yellow freestone; the most popular peach for home use and market. July 15.

J. H. HALE—Much like Elberta, somewhat firmer and better color.

ELB. CLING or **ELBIRD**—A magnificent large yellow cling, ripens two weeks later than Elberta.

MIXON CLING—Medium to large white Cling with red cheek; juicy; sweet and highly flavored.

AUGUST ELBERTA—Large yellow freestone that sells when others will not and is one of the best peaches of the season. August.

WHITE ENGLISH—Large, oval with a sharp apex; flesh pure white; rich; juicy and most excellent; very popular for preserving. September.

INDIAN CLING—Good size blood cling of excellent quality. The kind our parents used to have back in Georgia. August.

YELLOW IND. CLING—(Money Maker) a fine large yellow cling with Indian blood in it; finest quality; ripens September 20.

HENRIETTA—A magnificent large yellow cling with crimson cheek; always commands fancy prices. September.

STINSON'S OCTOBER—Large white with red cheek; the best late peach. Oct.

SEEDLINGS—These seedlings are grown from seed from some of the best seedling orchards in the country. We cannot furnish named varieties in these, just peach trees. Price 15 cents each.

PLUMS

Price, 1 to 2 feet, 18 cents each; 2 to 3 feet, 25 cents each; 3 to 4 feet, 35 cents each; 4 to 5 feet, 45 cents each; 5 to 6 feet, 60 cents each.

ADVANCE—A very early, large red plum. The biggest early plum; the earliest big plum.

MAY BEAUTY—A fine early red plum, said to be better than Winnsboro.

HANSKA—The Hanska is a very large bright red plum of superlative quality. Called by some "The Apricot Plum." Grows like a plum; smells and tastes like an apricot. The tree is an upright grower and quite ornamental.

Kerens, Texas, October 25, 1928.
Henderson's Nursery, Athens, Texas.
Dear Sir:

The Hanska Plums I bought from you two years ago fruited the past season and are the most wonderful plum I have seen both for eating fresh and preserving.

Yours very truly,

Tampa, Florida.
Henderson's Nursery, Athens, Texas.
Dear Sir:

Kindly send me your latest catalog. Was more than pleased with the roses I received from you last Spring. I wish to purchase more this Fall.

A. H. MOATES

SHIRO (Early Gold)—A very large, early plum of fine quality; ripens very early and is a profuse bearer.

SIX WEEKS or WINNSBORO—This is a very early bright red plum of fair quality. It carries well and is the best early market plum.

RED JUNE—Large size solid dark red color with yellow flesh; ripens early; sure bearer; very valuable for market.

OTHELLO (Purple Leaf Plum)—See description under shrubs.

BOTAN—A fine upright grower; fruit bright red; large size; very productive; sweetest of all plums. June 15.

HAPPINESS—Extremely large, dark red, best quality. A better plum than Gonzales; good grower and very productive. June.

ENDICOTT or MAMMOTH GOLD—The tree is strong, upright grower; the plums are yellow with pink blush, flattened at both ends. Very sweet.

DORIS—Very Strong, upright grower; an immense bearer; fruit large, dark red, superlatively rich and sweet; colors before ripening. Fine shipper. June 15. You must see this plum to appreciate it. No description does it justice.

BURBANK—One of the best Japan varieties; spreading tree; very productive; good size and quality. June 15.

GONZALES—Very large bright red plum of excellent quality.

TUCKER—A very fine market plum; bright red, firm, good quality. June 20.

NONA—A very greatly improved Wild Goose, as large as the largest Japan plum with the sprightly flavor of the American species. It has a long ripening period. Hardy tree and good bearer. Ripe last of June and first of July.

AMERICA—Our very best commercial plum. Large yellow with red on sunny side. Very hardy tree and regular bearer. June.

GOLD—A fine late yellow plum of good size and quality. Ripe in July.

BARTLETT—A large freestone plum of

superb quality. Tastes like a bartlett pear, hence its name.

CHERRIES

Price, 1 to 2 feet, 30 cents each; 2 to 3 feet, 40 cents each; 3 to 4 feet, 50 cents each; 4 to 5 feet, 60 cents each; 5 to 6 feet, 75 cents each.

DWARF ROCKY MOUNTAIN—A low growing shrubby bush with jet black fruit.

EARLY RICHMOND—One of our best standard cherries; good size; dark red, almost black.

ENGLISH MORELLO—This cherry is much like Early Richmond, perhaps a little larger; two weeks later in ripening.

OPATA—Plum cherry cross. Indian name for "bouquet". When covered in the spring with a gorgeous mass of fragrant white bloom it is indeed a bouquet, and again when the branches are bent with their load of dark red fruit. Good quality. Ripe last of May and first of June. The larger trees bear the first year. If you want ripe fruit in your orchard in 5 or 6 months after planting, plant Opata.

PEARS

Price, 2 to 3 feet, 25 cents each; 3 to 4 feet, 35 cents each; 4 to 5 feet, 50 cents each; 5 to 6 feet, 75 cents each.

LE CONTE—An early summer pear of good quality.

GARBER—Resembles Keiffer in size, quality and appearance, but is somewhat earlier and better quality.

KEIFFER—Everybody's pear. Very large; yellow flesh, brittle, juicy with a marked aroma; tree very vigorous and prolific; bears young, so far has proved to resist blight or other diseases better than any other pear.

BARTLETT—Good size, buttery, juicy, high flavored, good bearer.

EARLY HARVEST—Large red cheek, marked aroma. Ripe June 10.

OUR TREES ARE "HARDY SOUTHERN GROWN"

Frederick, Oklahoma.
Henderson's Nursery, Athens, Texas.
Dear Sir:

Some two years ago I bought 450 California Privet Hedge from you, also a bunch from Ft. Scott, Kansas. Last year part of the Kansas stuff died and I ordered some more from you. Now the balance of the Kansas stuff is dead and I enclose \$2.00 for some more to replace them.

GEO. C. WATERMAN.

Corsicana, Texas.

Henderson's Nursery, Athens, Texas.
Dear Sir:

Attached you will please find my check for seventeen dollars being amount due you on shipment of shrubs. I find these to be very satisfactory.

I wish to tell you that I planted the Ligustrums as you suggested. You remember that you sent me sixty of these plants and every one is very much alive, and I am more than pleased with them.

CHAS. G. JESTER.



SOME GOOD PECAN TREES

SPECIAL PEAR — Large yellow, good quality. Ripe last of August. Yearling trees bear full in nursery row.

APRICOTS

Price, 1 to 2 feet, 20 cents each; 2 to 3 feet, 30 cents each; 3 to 4 feet, 40 cents each; 4 to 5 feet, 50 cents each.

EARLY GOLDEN — Deep yellow, medium size. One of the sure bearers and a good all-round apricot. June 1.

MOORPARK — An old standard apricot of large size and good quality.

CLUSTER — One of the best apricots for Texas; said to bear when other varieties fail.

FIGS

Price, medium size, heavily rooted trees, 35 cents each; small size, 25 cents each.

This much neglected fruit should find a place in every orchard. In the north half of the State and adjoining states, plant Celestial. Farther south Magnolia is the variety to plant. Even this variety may be planted with profit where it freezes down for it will sprout from the roots and bear the same season.

CELESTIAL — Medium to small, immense bearer; purple, the sweetest, most delicious and hardiest of all figs.

MAGNOLIA — Fruit very large, yellowish white with purple netting. Good quality, prolific.

GREEN ISCHIA — Light transparent green; flesh white, shading to crimson around seed; best very late fig; comes into bearing early and is very prolific.

MULBERRIES

Plant mulberry trees where chickens and hogs can get the fruit. They are fine shade trees and grow quickly. Price, 4 to 6 feet, 35 cents each; 6 to 8 feet, 50 cents each.

BLACK ENGLISH — A luxuriant grower, bears at two years old; has large berry. April and May.

HICKS' EVERBEARING — The old standard everbearing mulberry.

PERSIMMONS

JAPANESE PERSIMMON — Every home should have some Japanese persimmons planted about the house. They are

very ornamental; bear young and regular; abundant crops of orange-red fruit of large size and delicious quality. Price, 2 to 3 feet, 40 cents each; 3 to 4 feet, 60c each.

AMERICAN HONEY PERSIMMON — The fruits are of sugary sweetness, clear yellow, and hang on till Christmas. They make fine shade. They are seedlings and some of them do not bear, so we put in two for each one ordered. Price, 2 to 3 feet, 30 cents each; 3 to 4 feet, 45 cents each.

PAPER SHELL PECANS

The pecan has been designated the official State tree, and as such it deserves special mention. An excellent shade tree and a valuable nut tree.—Bulletin, A. & M. College.

Price, 1 to 2 feet, 75 cents each; 2 to 3 feet, 90 cents each; 3 to 4 feet, \$1.10 each; 4 to 5 feet, \$1.50 each; 5 to 6 feet, \$1.80 each; 6 to 7 feet, \$2.20 each.

STUART — Nuts very large, oblong with brownish shell, in quality one of the best, a heavy bearer. More largely planted than any other variety.

SCHLEY — Large size, oblong, flattened, kernel full and plump with rich nutty flavor.

SUCCESS — Size large to very large; shell thin; quality rich; flavor very good.

DELMAS — Very large nut; vigorous grower; prolific bearer; quality good.

SAN SABA — A few nice 5 to 6 foot trees, \$2.50 each.

BURKETT — Generally conceded to be the best West Texas pecan. It seems to do equally well in East Texas. 1 to 2 feet, \$1.00 each; 2 to 3 feet, \$1.15 each; 3 to 4 feet, \$1.40 each; 4 to 5 feet, \$1.75 each; 5 to 6 feet, \$2.25 each.

OTHER NUTS

SELECT SEEDLING PECANS — From choice well filled nuts. 40 cents each.

BLACK WALNUTS — One of our best nuts, nice 2-year-old trees, 25 cents each; 4 to 5 feet, 50 cents each.

BLACKBERRIES

Price, 45 cents per dozen; \$3.00 per 100.

DALLAS — A standard berry in Texas; large, fine quality; productive. Early to mid-season.

LAWTON — Has sturdy, erect canes, heavy bearer of large berries; fine quality.

McDONALD BERRY — A cross between a blackberry and a dewberry; large, juicy, of best quality; early; hardy; very vigorous and most productive.

DEWBERRIES

Price, 30 cents per dozen; \$1.50 per 100.

ROGERS DEWBERRY — Large black berry, earlier than Austin. Suited to South Texas.

AUSTIN DEWBERRY — Early, immensely productive, of largest size and fine quality. Very profitable.

GIANT HYMALAYA BERRY

This berry is perennial like a fruit tree, and its rapid growth makes it attain an enormous size in a few years. Anyone can grow the Himalaya in any soil anywhere. It fruits in enormous clusters and in quality and fruit is similar to the very best blackberry. It bears luscious ripe berries from last of May to August. It is quite ornamental and can be used for covering arbors, fences, etc. Price, 10c each; \$1.00 per doz.

STRAWBERRIES

KLONDYKE — The best strawberry for home and market, for the Southwest. Price, 30c for 25 plants; 75c per 100.

GRAPES

Strong, 2-year plants, 20c each; except where noted.

CONCORD — Vigorous, large, black, for table and market.

Henderson's Nursery, Athens, Texas.
Dear Sir:

I received your favor of 6th, with itemized bill of fruit trees shipped upon my order C. O. D. to Rockport, and your enclosed circular.

I took the trees out of the post office at Rockport on the 10th. I never before received cleaner, thriftier and better appearing trees from a nursery nor any better packed for shipment. I planted them the next day. Thank you for your prompt attention and careful filling of my order.

Yours very truly,
L. D. STROUD

Beeville, Texas

Mr. E. M. Henderson, Athens, Texas.
Dear Sir:

I enclose check for \$131.20 to cover your invoices of March 14 and 16, \$331.20, less credit of \$200.00.

Roses reached me in fine shape. Glad I got acquainted with you. We are working night and day now. Our Hybrid Tea Rose Garden took first prize at the National Flower Show being held here. We also have a booth at the show, and trying to be at both places makes me "sorter" busy.

With regards to you, I am, yours truly,
CLOVERSET FLOWER FARM
Ernest Haysler

Kansas City, Mo.

NIAGARA—One of the most profitable white grapes grown, bunch and berry large, of good quality.

R. W. MUNSON—One of the best large black grapes for the South. It should have some other variety planted with it as its flowers do not pollinate well.

CLINTON—Vigorous, free from disease, prolific; berry medium size; black; firm; tender; fine quality.

MARGUERITE—A grape that is as hardy and strong grower as a mustang; medium size bunch and berry; dark pink; almost black. Quality good.

HERBEMONT—Small berry; large cluster, fine for table or market; very strong growth; will cover fences, arbors, or trees.

MUENCH—Vine vigorous and free from all diseases. Large clusters of purplish-black berries. Very fine quality. Well adapted to this climate and should be planted in preference to Concord in the South-west.

FERN MUNSON—Strong grower; large bunch and berry. Dark red; quality excellent.

SCUPPERNONG—Large, yellow, of muscadine type. It is free from disease, and good quality. Fine for arbors. Price, 40 cents each.

SAN ALBA—Large fruit, fine quality white grape, muscadine type. Price, 40c.

EDEN—Large black; large cluster; early bearer; fine quality; productive; free from disease; muscadine type. Price, 40c.

SHADE TREES

SYCAMORE—One of the largest and best shade trees over most of the State. It is not attacked by insects nor affected by adverse city conditions.—Bulletin, A. & M. College.

We have a very excellent stock of Sycamores, in a variety of sizes. Price, 2 to 3 feet, 15c each; 3 to 4 feet, 25c each; 4 to 6 feet, 40c each; 6 to 8 feet, 75c each; 8 to 10 feet, \$1.00 each; 1 1-2 to 2 inch caliper, \$1.00 each; 2 to 3 inch caliper, \$2.00 each.

CAROLINA POPLAR—Beautiful growing shade tree. Price, 2 to 3 feet, 15c; 3

to 4 feet, 25c; 4 to 6 feet, 30c; 6 to 8 feet, 45c; 8 to 10 feet, 75c; 10 to 12 feet, \$1.00.

LOMBARDY POPLAR—This tree is very upright in growth. Sizes, 2 to 12 feet, prices same as Carolina Poplar.

NEW CHINESE LOMBARDY POPLAR—Darker green than regular Lombardy. Price, 5 to 6 feet trees, 50c each; 6 to 8 feet, 75c.

TEXAS UMBRELLA TREE (or CHINA)—This tree makes the quickest shade of any and a good one, too. Well adapted to the Texas prairie. Plant a few. I have the finest strain I have ever seen. Price, 1 to 2 feet, 10c; 2 to 3 feet, 20c; 3 to 4 feet, 30c; 4 to 6 feet, 75c each.

CATALPA BUNGEI—This tree grows into a symmetrical rounded head like an umbrella. Price, 4 to 6 feet, \$1.00 each.

CHINESE ELM—This tree has sprung into such popularity the last few years that the demand is unprecedented. Splendid shade tree; very quick grower. Price, 3 to 4 feet, 60c; 4 to 5 feet, 80c; 5 to 6 feet, \$1.25; 6 to 8 feet, \$2.00 each.

JAPAN VARNISH—A stately, hardy tree from Japan. Large leaves, smooth green bark that looks as if it were varnished. Price, 2 to 3 feet, 50c; 3 to 4 feet, 75c; 5 to 6 feet, \$1.00 each.

WHITE FLOWERING DOGWOOD—This makes a nice symmetrical tree, covered in spring with flowers and in autumn with bright red berries and gorgeous varicolored foliage. Price, 2 to 3 feet, 25c; 3 to 4 feet, 40c each.

COTTON WOOD—Quick growing shade. Price, 2 to 3 feet, 15c; 3 to 4 feet, 25c; 4 to 6 feet, 30c; 6 to 8 feet, 45c; 8 to 10 feet, 75c; 10 to 12 feet, \$1.00 each.

WILD CHERRY—This makes a stately symmetrical shade tree and bears regular crops of jet black fruit. Price, 2 to 3 feet, 25c; 3 to 4 feet, 40c each.

RED CEDAR—See Evergreens.

MAGNOLIA—See Evergreens.

TULIP TREE—Of tall pyramidal habit, with broad, glossy, fiddle-shaped leaves and beautiful tulip-like flowers. Price, 2 to 3 feet, 30c; 6 to 8 feet, \$1.00; 10 to 12 feet, \$2.00 each.

RED BUD or JUDAS TREE—Shall native tree with large heart-shaped foliage,

Corsicana, Texas, Nov. 26, 1927.

Henderson's Nursery, Athens, Texas.
Dear Sir:

I received the shrubs I ordered from you the 25th. They were certainly fine plants and in fine condition when they reached here. I was well pleased with them and thank you for your prompt attention to the order.

MRS. JAMES W. ROBINSON.

Dallas, Texas.

Henderson's Nursery, Athens, Texas.
Dear Sir:

We were delighted with the other shipments; they were extra fine. Everybody brags on them being such fine vines. If you cannot ship the ones named you can substitute same colors of a good kind. Ship at once. Yours truly,

J. J. HARRISON.



TWO-YEAR AMOOR PRIVET, SOUTH. 50,000 IN THIS BLOCK

covered in spring before leaves appear with a mass of purplish-red flowers. Price, 3 to 4 feet, 50c; 4 to 6 feet, 75c; 6 to 8 feet, \$1.25 each.

SUGAR MAPLE—A good shade tree of straight, spreading, symmetrical growth. Price, 4 to 6 feet, 50c; 6 to 8 feet, \$1.00; 10 to 12 feet, \$1.50 each.

SILVER MAPLE—The hardiest maple in the Southwest. Price, 3 to 4 feet, 30c; 4 to 6 feet, 40c; 6 to 8 feet, 75c; 8 to 10 feet, \$1.00; 10 to 12 feet, \$2.00 each.

CATALPA SPECIOSA—Big leaf timber and shade tree. Price, 2 to 3 feet, 15c; 3 to 4 feet, 20c; 4 to 6 feet, 30c each.

BLACK LOCUST—A very hardy, quick-growing tree of tropical appearance. Price, 4 to 6 feet, 30c; 6 to 8 feet, 45c; 8 to 10 feet, 75c; 10 to 12 feet, \$1.00 each.

ALBIZZIA (MIMOSA)—A beautiful ornamental shade tree with fine-cut, fern-like foliage, covered in summer with beautiful feathery pink flowers. Price, 3 to 4 feet, 50c; 4 to 6 feet, 75c; 6 to 8 feet, \$1.00.

CHINESE TALLOW TREE—Compact dense head of small bright green leaves; the cleanest of all deciduous trees. In late summer and fall, when many trees have yellow and brown falling leaves, the Tallowtree is beautifully fresh and green. Extra heavy 6 to 8 foot trees, \$1.50 each.

EVERGREEN ASH—Evergreen in S. Texas; without foliage a short time in N.

Texas. Good grower. Price, 2 to 3 feet, 50c; 3 to 4 feet, 75c each.

BROAD-LEAVED EVERGREENS

SOUTHERN LAUREL (Cherry Laurel)—One of the most beautiful evergreens. Foliage is exceptionally glossy and has a rich green color. Naturally compact and symmetrical. Will make a fine shade tree or can be sheared to any desired form. Price, 2 to 3 feet, \$1.00; 3 to 4 feet, \$2.00 each.

MAGNOLIA GRANDIFLORA—Beautiful broad-leaf evergreen with immense white blossoms. Price, 2 feet, \$1.50; 3 feet, \$2.00 each.

CAPE JASMINE—An evergreen shrub with dark green, glossy foliage. The flowers are white, waxy, very fragrant, large and showy. Price, good 2-year plants, 35 cents; strong 2-year plants, 50 cents; large 3-year plants, 75 cents each.

AMERICAN HOLLY—A native evergreen tree of great beauty. Price, 1 to 2 feet, 50c; 2 to 3 feet, 75c; 3 to 4 feet, transplanted, bushy, \$1.50; 5 to 6 feet, \$3.50.

PRIVET, AMOOR RIVER (South)—The finest hedge plant for the Southwest; grows rapidly, withstands drowth, holds its foliage well, usually during the entire winter. When left unsheared, it develops the most beautiful specimens for planting singly or in groups. Has beautiful frond-like branches and of spreading growth. Prices, 2 to 3



LIGUSTRUM LUCIDUM, ONE-YEAR. GRACEFUL, LEFT; COMPACT WAX, RIGHT

feet, 10c each, \$1.00 per dozen, \$7.00 per 100; 3 to 4 feet, 15c each, \$1.50 per dozen, \$9.00 per 100. Specimen plants: These were transplanted last winter two feet in row and sheared back. They are thick, heavy plants suitable for shearing or immediate effect. 3 to 4 feet, 25c each, \$2.25 per dozen, \$20.00 per 100. Larger sizes, 50c to \$1.50 each.

CALIFORNIA PRIVET — Of upright rapid growth, very popular for hedging purposes, as well as single specimen plants. Price, one-year plants, 5c each, \$4.00 per 100; heavy 2-year plants, 8c each, \$7.00 per 100.

GOLDEN PRIVET — A very striking ornamental privet with beautiful golden bordered leaves. Price, 18 to 24 inch, 50c; 2 to 3 feet, \$1.00 each.

ABELIA GRANDIFLORA — A pretty, low growing evergreen shrub covered with white flowers tinged with pink from May until frost. Well rooted plants, 40c each; stronger plants, 80c each.

MYRTLE (MYRTIS COMMUNIS) — A beautiful broad-leaved evergreen shrub of spreading habit. Leaves aromatic and shining green. Small fragrant white flower produced all summer.

ROSEMARY MYRTLE — Smaller leaves; more compact grower than the above. Bushy plants, both varieties, spread 18 to 20 inches, \$1.25 each; 2 to 3 feet, \$2.00 each.

EUONYMUS JAPONICA — One of our

best glossy-leaved evergreens. Price, 18 to 24 inches, 40c each; 2 to 3 feet, 65c each.

CARRIER'S EUONYMUS — Low growing, spreading branches with shiny green leaves turning bronze in winter. Useful for edging beds of larger shrubs. 12 to 18 inches, 40c each; heavy clumps, 75c each.

JASMINE HUMILE — Almost an evergreen. Has bright yellow flowers all summer. Strong 2-year plants, 50c each; heavy clumps, \$1.00 each.

NANDINA (JAPANESE) — Hardy leafy shrub foliage, tipped with pink and bronze in summer, changing in winter to deep wine and bronze red. Red berries in winter add to its beauty. Price, 2-year plants, spread of foliage 10 to 12 inches, 75c. Very fine 3-year plants, 12 to 18 inches, \$1.50; 18 to 24 inch plants, \$2.00 each.

FEIJOA SELLOWIANA — Called pineapple guava. Foliage gray green, silvery underneath. Numerous white flowers with red stamens. Very drouth resistant. Fruit dark green, delicious for eating fresh, or for making jelly and jam. Very useful evergreen, worthy of planting if it bore no fruit. Price, 1 to 2 feet, \$1.00 each.

PHOTENIA — A broad-leaf upright evergreen. The new growth blood red. In winter some of the old leaves turn crimson. Price, 1 to 2 feet, \$1.00 each; 2 to 3 feet, \$2.00 each; 3 to 4 feet, \$3.00 each.

SILVERLEAF (Leucophyllum Texanum) — Mexicans call it Senisa. A most beauti-



ITALIAN CYPRESS, 6 TO 9 FEET

ful shrub of medium growth. Leaves small, oval in form, of ashen or silver color. It is strikingly beautiful for contrast effects. After a summer rain, the plant has a profusion of showy orchid or lilac flowers which heighten the effect of the silvery leaves. Price, 2-year plants, \$1.00; thick, bushy balled and burlapped plants, \$2.50.

JAPAN LIGUSTRUM — The smooth-leaved evergreen shown so beautifully on San Antonio plazas and around State Capitol in Austin. Can be pruned to any desired form or allowed to grow into elegant shade tree. Bright green all winter. One of the most popular evergreen shades; 2 to 3 feet, 40c each; 3 to 4 feet, 60c each; 4 to 5 feet, 85c each.

LARGE-LEAF LIGUSTRUM — Has exceedingly large leaves. A greatly improved strain of the Japanese Privet. Beautiful quick-growing plant, attaining 12 to 15 feet. Grafted. Price, 2 to 3 feet, 50c; 3 to 4 feet, 75c; 4 to 5 feet, \$1.00; 5 to 6 ft., \$1.50.

Note — This plant is fine for tall hedges and makes beautiful shade trees. In ordering, please state whether you wish to train your plant to a single stem or have it remain bushy.

LIGUSTRUM NEPALS LUCIDUM — Dark green, thick, glossy leaves, curled up-

ward. Uniform spreading, upright growth — a very attractive plant. Makes excellent specimen. These are grafted and of uniform type. Price, 18 to 24 inch, 50c; 2 to 3 feet, 75c; 3 to 4 feet, \$1.00; 4 to 5 feet, heavy, \$1.50 each.

LIGUSTRUM UPRIGHT LUCIDUM — The one broad-leaved evergreen that can be used with good results, to cover high points in a planting. Between windows, at corners, and in front of columns. They do not crowd smaller plants. Grafted. Price, 18 to 24 inch, 50c; 2 to 3 feet, 75c; 3 to 4 feet, \$1.00; 4 to 5 feet, \$1.50 each.

LIGUSTRUM GOLDEN LEAF — Bright, golden edged leaves and golden, tender growth makes this variety very valuable in landscape plantings. It is very attractive at all times. Grafted. Price, 18 to 24 inch, 50c; 2 to 3 feet, 75c; 3 to 4 feet, \$1.00.

LIGUSTRUM, WAX LEAF — The very finest of all Lucidums. In appearance it has the finest quality of any broad-leaf evergreen. The foliage is deep, rich green, almost black. The leaves are very thick, beautifully shaped, and glisten as though polished. In growth this plant is very compact, dense, and wide spreading, keeping greater width than height ordinarily. It permits pruning and trimming to any de-

sired shape. Fragrant, white, wax-like blossoms are produced in the Spring. Grafted plants. Price, 12 to 18 inch, 50c; 18 to 24 inch, 75c; 2 to 3 feet, \$1.00; 3 to 4 feet, \$1.50; large specimens, \$2.00 to \$4.00 each.

CONIFEROUS EVERGREENS

ARIZONA CYPRESS — A beautiful bluish-green cypress of narrow, pyramidal form, from the mountains of Arizona and Northern N. Mexico. A handsome ornamental tree, well suited to the Southwest. Price, 8 to 12 inch, 50c; 12 to 18 inch, \$1.00; 18 to 24 inch, \$1.50; 2 to 3 feet, \$2.00; 3 to 4 feet, \$3.00; 4 to 5 feet, \$4.00; 5 to 6 feet, \$5.00 each.

ITALIAN CYPRESS — A tall, slender tree with erect branches, having a pillar or columnar effect. A useful subject for gateways, arches, tall borders, etc. Price, 2 to 3 feet, \$1.50; 3 to 4 feet, \$2.50; 4 to 5 feet, \$3.75; 5 to 6 feet, \$5.00; 6 to 7 feet, \$6.00. Extra large, fine specimen plants, 8 to 10 feet high, \$8.00 each.

BLUE LAWSON'S CYPRESS — Shipped with ball of earth. 2 to 3 feet high, \$2.00.

BAKER'S ARBORVITAE — This is one of the very best Arborvitae for the South. Compact, cone shaped, and remains in beautiful shape without shearing. Price, 10 to 12 inch, 50c; 18 to 24 inch, \$1.25; 2 to 3 feet, \$2.00 each.

ROSEDALE HYBRID — Unlike any other Arborvitae in foliage, being of fine feathery, bluish-green. Very compact. Price, 8 to 12 inch, 50c; 12 to 18 inch, 90c; 18 to 24 inch, \$1.20; 24 to 30 inch, \$1.75 each.

TEXANA GLAUCA — A new variety of worthy merit. A beautiful new Biota with blue foliage, strong growing, upright pyramidal. Price, 4 to 6 feet, \$2.00 each.

CHINESE ARBORVITAE — These plants are very hardy in the Southwest. Are pyra-

midal in shape and of good green color. These are seedlings and the type varies. Price, 18 to 24 inch, 50c; 2 to 3 feet, 75c; 3 to 4 feet, \$1.00; 4 to 6 feet, \$1.50 each.

CEDRUS DEODARA — Feathery artistic blue foliage. Considered the most beautiful ornamental cedar for the South. 8 to 10 inch field grown plants, 75c each; 10 to 15 inch plants, \$1.00; 18 to 24 inch, \$1.75; 24 to 30 inch, \$2.50; 3-foot plants, \$4.00 each.

JUNIPERUS CANADENSIS — A dwarf spreading evergreen with bluish-green foliage. Price, 1-foot plants, \$1.50 each. Heavier plants, up to \$3.50 each.

ENGLISH JUNIPER — A stronger and more upright grower than the above. 3 to 4-foot plants, \$3.50 each.

IRISH JUNIPER — A fine leaf, bluish juniper, medium size. Ornamental in masses or as specimens. Price, 15 to 18 inch, \$1.00; 18 to 24 inch, \$1.50; 24 to 30 inch, \$2.50.

RED CEDAR — Too well known to need description. Price, 1 to 6 feet, 25c per ft. Extra bushy plants, 50c per ft. We have both the native and the Platte River Types.

VIRGINIA BLUE CEDAR — A very rare variety of the cedar family, with blue-gray foliage. A rich colored, hardy specimen plant. Price, 18 to 24 inch, \$2.50 each; 2 to 3 feet, \$4.00 each; 4-foot plants, \$5.50 each.

BERCKMAN'S DWARF GOLDEN (au-rea nana) The most called for Arborvitae. Golden tipped, cone shaped. Rather slow, but healthy grower. Price, 12 to 18 inch, \$1.00; 18 to 24 inch, \$1.75; 24 to 30 inch, \$2.25; 30 to 36 inch, \$3.00 each.

COMPACT ARBORVITAE — Deep green, thick, compact top. Very hardy. Price, 12 to 18 inch, \$1.00; 18 to 24 inch, \$1.75; 24 to 30 inch, 2.25; 30 to 36 inch, \$3.00 each.

PINE (NATIVE SOUTHERN) — Price, 8 to 16 inch, 75c; 2 to 3 feet, \$1.50; 3 to 4 feet, \$2.50 each.

San Antonio, Texas.

Mr. E. M. Henderson, Athens, Texas.
Dear Sir:

The day after I sent my last letter to you, I got your letter and the trees, too. With the exception of the 70 six inch Happiness, which are very small, still well rooted, the trees are excellent. I thank you very much for this nice order for so late in the season, and the way you have treated me. Even my "kickers" that could hardly wait for their trees, had a smile on their face, by seeing those well-rooted trees. Every one of us is pleased, and whenever a dollar goes out of my neighborhood for trees, it sure will go to the "Henderson Nursery". My very best thanks for the trouble you have made yourself by getting trees for me, on which you were sold out.

I hope you will stay in the very best of health, and good luck with you, I remain,

Yours very truly,
GUS HAZELBACH.

Temple, Texas, April 4, 1928.

Henderson's Nursery, Athens, Texas.
Dear Sir:

I just want to thank you for the good service you gave me, also the extra nice plants. Enclosed find check for \$38.25 to cover the balance due you.

Yours very truly,

ED HOLLAND.

Yoakum, Texas.

Henderson's Nursery, Athens, Texas.
Dear Sir:

The trees I bought of your Mr. Eason are the finest that I have ever obtained from any source, and I have tried several different nurseries.

Yours very truly,

E. J. RICE.



10,000 RED CRAPE MYRTLE HERE

Pine trees require careful handling.

The price on evergreens is for the plants fresh dug and the roots puddled in thick mud. If wanted with a ball of earth on roots, add 25 cents per plant. We do not pay express on balled plants.

VINES

KUDZU VINE—Very rank, fast grower, suitable for quick shade. Beautiful Wisteria-like blossoms. Price, 25 cents each.

HONEYSUCKLE—A favorite vine with flowers of delicious fragrance, strong, rapid grower in any soil or location, will cover arbors, verandas, or posts and is beautiful when allowed to ramble over trees and bushes, in a wild, natural way. Strong plants, 25 cents each.

CLIMBING ROSES—See list under roses

WISTERIA—Chinese purple. A rapid-growing vine covered in early spring with large clusters of pea-shaped purple flowers. Price, 40 cents each.

ENGLISH IVEY—Clings to stone, brick or wood. Hardy, with thick, dark green leaves. Well rooted plants 25c each.

TRUMPET CREEPER—The old fashioned sort. Good for covering back fences, dead trees, etc. Price, 25 cents each.

QUEEN'S WREATH—Very rapid-growing vine which dies to the ground in winter.

Covered in summer with magnificent sprays of bright rose pink flowers. Price, 25c to 50c each.

VIRGINIA CREEPER—Large green foliage changing to brilliant scarlet in the fall and later dropping the leaves. Price, 25 cents each.

JASMINE HUMILLE—Almost an evergreen. Has bright yellow flowers all summer. Strong 2-year plants, 50c each; heavy clumps, \$1.00 each.

SHRUBS

Price, except where noted: Extra strong field grown 2-year plants, 40c each; medium 2-year and strong 1-year plants, 25c each.

CRAPE MYRTLES—Nature's special gift of beauty to the South. A shrubby tree covered with large trusses of bright flowers all summer. They should be planted about every Southern home and make this the "Land of Crape Myrtle." Even in the North where the tops may be frozen they will spring from the roots and give a wealth of bloom that summer. We have the following varieties: Red, Pink, Purple, White.

SPIREA VAN HOUTTEI—Grandest of the white Spireas. It is a beautiful ornament for the lawn at any season, but when in flower it is a complete fountain of white blooms, the foliage hardly showing. Clusters of twenty to thirty white flowers make

up the raceme, and are set close along the drooping stems.

SPIREA FROBELLI—Dwarf pink spirea blooms like Anthony Waterer, and stands our climate much better than Anthony Waterer.

RUSSIAN OLIVE—A shrubby tree with grayish green foliage. Yellow flowers and small ornamental fruits of varying shades. Small trees 2 feet high, 40c each; larger trees, 4 feet high, 75c each.

PHOTINIA VILLOSA (Chinese Xmas Berry)—Hawthorne-like blooms in June, red and orange foliage in Autumn. Clusters of red berries which hold on into winter. Price, 3 to 4 feet, 75c each.

POMEGRANATE—A Southern yard ornament of rare merit, covered throughout the summer with bright scarlet flowers and fruit. It fruits first season in the nursery.

ALTHEA (Hardy Hibiscus or Rose of Sharon)—The Althea makes a neat, shapely shrub or tree 4 to 8 feet high, covered with gorgeous flowers throughout the summer. Very easy to grow. We have the double varieties in white, pink, red, and purple; single varieties in blue.

TAMARIX—Hardy shrub with feathery blue green foliage. Dainty pink flowers in summer. Price, 1-year plants, 50c each; 2-year plants, 75c each.

FLOWERING WILLOW (Chilopsis)—A very hardy, drouth resisting shrub. Covered in late summer with purplish-pink blossoms.

PHILADELPHUS (SYRINGA or MOCK ORANGE)—A hardy fast-growing shrub covered in spring with fragrant saucer-shaped blossoms, white with golden stamens. Strong 2-year plants, 40c each; 3-year plants, 60c each.

HARDY ORANGE (CITRUS TRIFOLIATE)—A very ornamental shrub. Has dark green branches and foliage with a profusion of orange blossoms in spring and golden yellow oranges in late summer and fall. Stands drouth, heat and cold well. Fruit not edible.

WEIGELIA—Fine shrub covered in spring with pink flowers. One year plants, 30 cents each.

FLOWERING ALMOND—A low, broad

shrub, completely covered in early spring with double flowers like small roses borne all along the stems. Pink and white varieties. Price, 18 to 24 inch, 40c each; 2 to 3 feet, 60c each.

FLOWERING PEACH—Large shrub or small tree. In early spring, before leaves come out, it is covered with a profusion of double, red flowers like roses. Price, 2 to 3 feet, 25c; 3 to 4 feet, 40c each.

OTHELLO (PURPLE LEAF PLUM)—Prolific bearer of deep, crimson fruit. The foliage is of the most brilliant reddish-purple and holds its color throughout the season. An ornamental tree of rare merit. Price, 2 to 3 feet, 25c; 3 to 4 feet, 40c; 4 to 5 feet, 60c each.

JAPAN QUINCE (or FIRE BUSH)—A hardy shrub covered in early spring with a profusion of bright coral red flowers, which give the plant almost the appearance of a burst of flame. Price, 1-year plants, 40c each; 2-year heavy, 75c each.

PURPLE LILAC—An old shrub of great beauty. Needs no description.

ROUEN LILAC—This lilac blooms more than other sorts. The bush is covered with bloom in the spring and then it blooms occasionally through the summer and fall. Strong 2 to 3-foot plants, 50c; 3 to 4-foot, 75c each.

SOUV. DE LUDWIG SPAETH (French Lilac)—Darkest of the blues. A deep purplish shade in long panicles. Price, 50c and 75c each.

DEUTZIAS (Pride of Rochester)—Grows strong and upright, 4 to 6 feet high. Flowers double and full pure white.

DEUTZIAS (Crenata)—Growth same as above. Is covered in spring with a mass of single white bell shaped flowers.

FORSYTHIA (Golden Bell)—This splendid old shrub is covered in early spring with a mass of golden yellow flowers. We have the variety "Suspensa," which will cover arches or trellises.

MALVAVISCUS—This shrub has large heart-shaped leaves and is covered from June until frost with camellia-shaped scarlet flowers.

BUTTERFLY BUSH (Summer Lilac)—One of the most admired and sought after

Midlothian, Texas, January 18, 1928.

Henderson's Nursery, Athens, Texas.

Dear Sir:

I received my shipment of shrubs and was well pleased with them. They were in such fine condition and such nice plants.

Very Respectfully Yours,

MRS. C. H. COWART.

Corsicana, Texas.

Henderson's Nursery, Athens, Texas.

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing check for \$24.00 for the plants. They were in fine condition when received here. I am very much pleased with them.

Sincerely yours,

shrubs grown. Blooms from June till frost. Beautiful lavender flower spikes 10 inches long as sweet as a Spring Lilac.

SWEET LAVENDER (*Vitex*) — Flowers and foliage noted for their distinctive lavender fragrance. Blossoms from May till frost.

In the following we have 3- and 4-year plants where extra large specimens are needed: Crape Myrtles, Pomegranate, Spirea Van Houttei, Philadelphus, Deutzias, Butterfly Bush, Sweet Lavender, Flowering Willow. Price, 75c to \$1.50 each.

We can furnish the following native trees and shrubs: Coral Berry or Indian Current, Calli Carpa, Black Haw, and Sassafras, at 40 cents each.

ROSES

We present to you in this list the best new roses and the old ones that have been favorites for years. You cannot get better roses anywhere at any price. Price, strong 2-year-old plants, 45c each, except where noted.

HADLEY — In color it is a deep velvety crimson, retaining its brilliancy at all seasons of the year. The variety is double and buds are well formed. Very fragrant.

J. J. L. MOCK — A giant pink rose from Holland. Good grower and bloomer.

LOS ANGELES — The color of this new rose is a gorgeous rich flame-pink, shaded golden yellow, quite different from any other rose in cultivation. The bud is long and full. Superb rose for cutting. Strong 2-year field grown plants, 65c; 1-year field grown plants, 50c each.

WILLOMERE — Superb rich shrimp pink, delicately blended with carmine pink. Buds long and pointed.

RADIANCE — Brilliant rosy carmine displaying rich and opaline tints in the open flower, which is delightfully fragrant.

RED RADIANCE — A bright, cheerful and even shade of pure red; size, growth, and habit same as its parent, "Radiance."

MRS. CHAS. BELL (Shell Pink Radiance) — Just like Radiance, except in color, which is a beautiful shell pink.

The three Rediance Roses here listed are among the strongest growers and furnish a wealth of perfect flowers throughout the growing season. You can't go wrong planting Radiance.

COLUMBIA — A giant pink of distinct merit, being an extremely strong, rank

grower. Blooms with great freedom, its blooms of the very largest size imaginable are carried on long, stiff, erect stems. Very fragrant, clear Imperial pink, deepening as it opens to glowing pink. A peculiarity of the variety is that the shades all become more intense until the full maturity of the open flower.

MADAM BUTTERFLY — New fancy colored rose. A glorified sport of Ophelia with all the colors of Ophelia intensified, making it a harmony of bright pink, apricot, and gold. A free bloomer, with large handsome foliage free from mildew. The buds are a lovely shade of Indian red, yellow at the base.

SUNBURST — This magnificent yellow rose heads the list of yellow roses. Long pointed buds on very long stems. Color, golden orange and golden yellow, lighter on the edges of the petals. All intense shades, extremely brilliant in effect.

LUXEMBURG — The blending of colors in bud and bloom make this a most beautiful and attractive rose. Its color is a coral red, shaded chrome yellow, opening to a large flower of shrimp pink, shaded coppery orange. Free and constant, extremely strong grower.

ALEXANDER HILL GRAY — One of the most beautiful yellow Tea Roses for general planting. The flowers are of good size, deep, full, very sweet-scented. Rich golden yellow.

KAISERIN AUGUSTA VICTORIA — A beautiful rose with elegant large pointed buds and very large full double flower, delicate creamy white, deliciously fragrant. The plant is a strong healthy grower and constant bloomer. The flowers are on long stiff stems, with rich, glossy foliage.

LADY HILLINGDON — Long, slender buds of intense deep golden yellow; profuse bloomer. Just about our hardiest yellow rose.

FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI (White American Beauty or Snow Queen) — A hardy, vigorous grower, with bright green leaves, splendid long buds, and magnificent, snow-white blooms, with saucer-shaped petals; rightly named.

DUDLEY CROSS — Soft, rosy yellow, with deeper shadings. A delightful color and of beautiful rounded form, strong stems, holding the blooms upright. This rose is as fine as a Cochet and is thornless.

PAUL NEYRON — The largest of all rose blooms; bright, shining pink, clear and beautiful; very double and full; finely scented and a strong grower.

FRANCIS SCOTT KEY (Star Spangled

Banner) — Color, cherry red; very double; petals beautifully recurved. This rose has largely taken the place of American Beauty, being a stronger grower, producing, as it does, a very wonderful bloom that keeps longer than most varieties.

WHITE MAMAN COCHET — The flowers are of enormous size, remarkably round and full; pure white throughout when grown under glass. When grown out of doors, it pinks like a bride, but the pink only adds to its beauty, and it is delightfully scented. It is one of the largest roses, both in bud and flower.

MRS. TAFT (Antoine Revoire) — Creamy white, delicately tinted with pink, extra large petals, making a bloom of decidedly distinct and beautiful form. Full and double. Borne on long stems. The delicate blending of pink and yellow makes the color of this rose very beautiful.

HELEN GOULD — This is a grand rose of the highest merit for the garden. Bright watermelon red, free grower and bloomer.

ETOILE DE FRANCE — A fine new rose, upright bush with few thorns. Has fine buds, borne singly on long, stiff stems, flowers very large, full and of cup form, dark crimson velvet.

MY MARYLAND — Of extremely vigorous growth and very free flowering, every shoot bearing a bloom of perfect form. Color, glowing, intense pink.

MRS. W. C. MILLER — A stocky, upright grower. Color striking rose with light pink bloom. Continuous bloomer.

ROSELANDIA — New sport of Golden Ophelia. Bright golden yellow, profuse bloomer. Price, 75c each.

BRIAR CLIFF — Sport of Columbia, much like it.

PREMIER — A very popular pink rose.

SENSATION — A new red rose that is gaining popular favor.

If you can use 50 or more roses, write for prices, naming varieties desired.

DWARF BABY ROSES

These roses bloom unceasingly.

WHITE BABY RAMBLER — Double snow white clusters.

BABY DOLL — The color in this delightful little "Sweetheart" Rose is absolutely new. Golden yellow tipped with clear bright cerise.

PERLE D'OR — Coppery gold, changing to fawn and salmon; very double; elegantly perfumed. Called Yellow Cecile Bruner.

ORLEANS — Brilliant geranium red, suffused rose, and deep cerise. Blooms freely; lasting quality. The showiest and prettiest of the pink baby class.

EDITH CAVELL — Brilliant scarlet overlaid velvety crimson with white eye. Glistening, mildew-free foliage. The best Red Baby Rose.

CLIMBING ROSES

MARECHAL NEIL — The fame of this superb climbing yellow rose is world wide. Strong grower and free bloomer.

CLIMBING WOOTEN — A strong grower, blooms in great profusion; color bright magenta, passing to a violet crimson. Called by some "Red Marechal Neil."

CLIMBING LOS ANGELES — Just like Los Angeles, except it is a strong climber. Price, 75c each.

CLIMBING CECILE BRUNNER (Sweetheart Rose) — Blush pink shaded to salmon. Strong climber. Very popular as a miniature flower rose. Also have this in bush form.

GAINSBORO, or CLIMBING VISCOUNTESS FOLKSTONE — Delicately tinted fawn, almost white with a satiny luster, very large flower, resembling a light pink, fluffy peony.

FRANCES E. WILLARD — A strong climber; perfectly formed; pure snow white; blooms full and double.

Corsicana, Texas.

Talpa, Texas.

Henderson's Nursery, Athens, Texas.

Dear Mr. Henderson:

The attached check for \$110.30 will cover your statement of December 15th, in full payment of shrubbery.

I am deeply grateful to you for your wonderful selections and plants, and as soon as I can get a list, in the next week or two, will let you know the exact number of Poplar Trees, Irish Juniper, and Amor River Privet I will need to complete my planting.

With my very kindest regards, and again thanking you, I am, yours very truly,

Henderson's Nursery, Athens, Texas.

Dear Sir:

I received my trees in fine shape. I believe they were even better than those I got before. I have a friend who wants a catalog; he wants to set out an orchard in February. I think he would likely want about 50 trees. I have sent my catalog to another friend who wished to get trees from you and I can certainly recommend your place to get them. I will need a few more trees this winter, but I think I will be able to get my catalog back.

Yours very truly,

J. T. HENDERSON.

CLIMBING METEOR—Finest crimson everblooming rose. It is rich velvet crimson much like the Forcing Rose Meteor, of which it is a sport, and an extremely strong growing variety making shoots 12 to 15 feet long in a single season under favorable circumstances.

CLIMBING COLUMBIA—An exquisite rose, both in bud and open flower; bright clear pink, large and very double, stems long and stiff; foliage handsome and glossy. One of the most constant bloomers in the climbing class.

CLIMBING KAISERIN (MRS. ROBERT PERRY)—This is without doubt the grandest of all white climbing roses.

DOROTHY PERKINS—A strong, hardy pink climber of wonderful beauty.

RED DOROTHY—Same as above except it is a brilliant red.

PAUL'S SCARLET CLIMBER—Vivid scarlet shaded slightly crimson. Makes a brilliant display for a long time. This cannot be classed as a monthly bloomer. It has a few blooms at intervals through the season.

SILVER MOON—Strong climber, healthy foliage, covered in spring with 4 to 5-inch semi-double flowers, pure white with thick cluster of yellow stamens.

AMERICAN PILLAR—Large, single flowers of rich rosy pink. A glint of white at the center, with golden yellow stamens. Very strong grower.

MARY WALLACE—Bright, clear rose pink, with salmon base to petals. Very large, shapely, free blooming. Pillar rose type, with glossy, disease resistant foliage.

BULBS

CRINUM LILY (ANGEL LILY)—This lily grows from year to year without trans-

planting. Blooms through late summer and fall when other flowers are scarce. Gorgeous white flowers with pink stripe. Large clump, 75c; large mother bulb, 40c; smaller size, 25c each.

YELLOW DAY LILY—Has long narrow leaves. Produces many tall stems of fragrant waxen yellow flowers through the summer; thrives in any good soil. Price, 10c each; \$1.00 per dozen.

MIXED IRIS—10c each; \$1.00 per dozen.

OLD-FASHION JONQUILS—5c each; 50c per dozen.

CANNAS

10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

ITALIA—Golden yellow and bright orange scarlet.

THE PRESIDENT—The greatest red Canna, possessing every desirable quality. Large size, unsurpassed in vigor. Free bloomer.

SEEDS

GENUINE SOUTHERN WINTER TURNIP—Plant these and you will have turnips and greens throughout the winter. They will not freeze out. 1-2 lb., 35c; 1 lb., 60c, postpaid.

TREES BY MAIL

In most all varieties of fruits listed in this catalog, I have nice, healthy trees of mailing size and will send them to you post paid at price named. Do not send order for less than \$1.00 worth. These trees, if well cared for, will make you a fine orchard. Do not order large trees sent bp mail; they are not mailable.

ROSE COLLECTION

Throughout the Season we have a surplus of some varieties of roses. These are usually our very best varieties as we grow them in larger quantities. In order that every person may have a rose garden and try our wonderful roses, we will make a special offer of mailing size roses as follows:

Six Roses, our selection..... \$1.75 postpaid

Twelve Roses, our selection..... 3.25 postpaid

You may name your choice of varieties and we will follow your wishes as nearly as our stock will permit.

If you can use 100 or more roses, send your list for special price.

These prices are net and not subject to special free offer as listed on page three of this catalog.

TO THE NEW CUSTOMERS

Or at least I hope you will prove to be a customer.

So being optimistic and looking on the bright side, I will take it for granted that you are ready to make your trial order. You will want to ask some questions. That is right. Just help yourself. Read the list carefully. It will answer most of them. And here are the answers to a few more:

The fruit trees are one and two years old. They do better and grow better than older trees. Besides, size governs and not age. Thrifty young trees are better than old or very large ones.

I ship by express according to your instructions and my very best judgment.

Yes, those Magnolia figs really bear large, luscious, ripe figs the first year. I have gathered them by the water bucket full off the bushes eight months old in the nursery row.

The best way to send money is by P. O. money order or express money order. If you prefer you may send one-fourth of the total amount cash with the order and the plants will be shipped, balance C. O. D.

I am bending my energies to produce the best nursery stock that can be grown and feel much encouraged at my success. It gives me pleasure to know that my efforts are appreciated, as the many complimentary letters from pleased customers and largely increased business will testify. It is a source of gratification to me to notice that my largest orders and best trade comes from parties who have known my stock the longest.

I take particular pains to care for my customers' interests and they tell me they like that kind of treatment.

Now just write down what you want and send your order along. For, after all, much talk is confusing, and I feel sure that the thing that will make and keep you my friend and customer is the satisfaction of knowing that for every dollar you sent me you have received a dollar's worth of stock that will do you an honest service.

The life of my business depends on my pleasing you.

Sincerely yours,

E. M. HENDERSON

Dallas, Texas.

Henderson's Nursery, Athens, Texas.

Dear Sir:

I am writing to let you know that I have received the shipment of shrubbery and plants shipped to me on December 11th, and I wish to take this opportunity for thanking you for the nice selection of well-rooted, individual plants that you sent me, and I will take pleasure in recommending you to anyone in need of shrubbery, etc.

Yours very truly,

H. A. JANDREW.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK Capital, Surplus and Profits \$300,000.00

To Whom It May Concern:

Mr. E. M. Henderson, Proprietor of the Henderson Nursery, has resided in this vicinity since childhood. He is one of our most enterprising and foremost citizens, thoroughly reliable, and highly regarded by every one who knows him. He has transacted his business through this bank, and through this relation we have at all times found him to be entirely honorable in his dealings and perfectly reliable.

Very Respectfully,

T. F. MURCHISON, Pres.

OFFICIAL NURSERY INSPECTION CERTIFICATE

Department of Agriculture, State of Texas

No. 342

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That the Nursery and Floral Stock grown, exhibited or held for sale by Henderson's Nursery, at Athens, County of Henderson, State of Texas, has been inspected by a duly authorized Inspector of this Department in accordance with the provisions of the Orchard and Nursery Inspection Laws of the State of Texas, and was found to be apparently free from Dangerously Injurious Insect Pests and Plant Diseases.

A printed copy of this Certificate on any shipping tag attached to any shipment of Nursery or floral Stock is authority to any freight or express agent in Texas to accept same for transportation This Certificate is void after September 1, 1929.

Approved: GEO. B. TERRELL,
Commissioner of Agriculture.

Austin, Texas, September 7, 1928
J. M DEL CURTO,
Chief Inspector of Orchards and Nurseries.

Order Sheet

Make All Checks and Money Orders Payable to E. M. Henderson, Athens, Texas.

Your Name

Postoffice

Express Office If Different
from P. O.

County State

AMOUNT ENCLOSED

Check \$.....

P. O. Order \$.....

Express Order \$ _____

Draft \$.....

Cash \$.....

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